

Liber A. untill hee shall arryue att S^t Inegos ffort, & there gyuen a uist acc^t of all such plunder, or pillage afores^d to mee, or some other whom I shall appoint. And I doe further declare the s^d Cap^t Jn^o Price to be cheife Cap^t or Com^dder of all such forces, as hee shall take wth him, during the s^d seruice. Gyuing him the s^d Cap^t Jn^o Price full power & authority hereby, to appoint such Officer or Officers, for the good ordering & managing the s^d seruice intended, as hee (in his best discretion) shall iudge needfull & conuenient. Requyring all & euery one (who shall goe along wth him) to be ayding & assisting unto him the s^d Cap^t Jn^o Price vppon all occasions w^{soeu^r} in the qual^{ty} of cheife Cap^t or Commander vppon payne of such punishm^t & censures to be inflicted vppon them & euery of them, as such contempt & disobedience in the iudgm^t of a Martiall Court shall deserue. Gyuen att S^t Inegos ffort under my hand & the seale of the Prouince this 4th July Año. 1647.

Signed. Tho: Greene.

To Cap^t Jn^o Price.

p. 93 The deposition of M^r Thomas Bradnox aged fowerty yeares or there abouts; taken this 11th of Septemb^r 1647:

This deponent affirmeth vppon oath: That M^r Nathaniell Pope, when he was sent as Agent from the Gouverno^r of Maryland, did as much as he could to animate the people to auoyde the Iland, and that if they would come and liue at Apomatocks, he made noe question but in shortt tyme to get strength enough to get the Country againe, and that they might insure them selues, that the tobbaoco w^{ch} he demanded of them at that tyme, he would assuredly haue: for he was a comeing vpp as soone as they returnd wth a great Company of Souldiers: And ffurther this deponent knoweth not.

sign

Thomas **T** Bradnox

Jurat coram me Robertus uaghan

Concordat cum
originale: Teste me
Rob^t Clarke Clk

The deposition of M^r Edward Com^{ins} aged about fowrty yeares or there about, taken this 11th of, Septemb: 1647:

This deponent affirmeth vppon oath: That M^r Nathaniell Pope when he came vppon the Iland, as Agent for the Gouvernor of Maryland, sayd that though the Gouvern^r made lardge promises, vnto vs, yet they should find, that there would